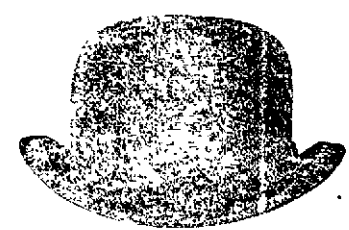


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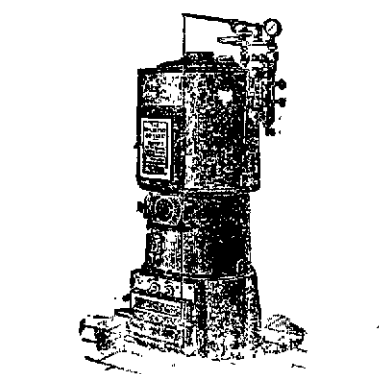
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DRIVEN TO THE BAD.

Fallen Women Advise Reformers to
Turn Attention to Factories.

Pointed Arguments at the
Social Purity Congress.

Persons Wishing to Secure Divorce Must Live
Outside of Canada.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 17.—Mrs. Charlton Ed-
holm, a missionary in the Florence Crit-
tendon missions for the rescue of fallen
women, headed a party of 15 delegates to
the Purity Congress to visit the houses on
Josephine street last night after the purity
meeting was over.

A policeman and a number of newspaper
men accompanied the party. It was near
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At another place Mrs. Edholm urged
one of the inmates to leave the place. "I
would like to," she said, "but I cannot. I
have two children that I have to support
and pay for their schooling. One is 11
years of age and the other 13. They are not
in this city. My children are the poorest,
surest things on earth. I would not
have them now about me for the world.
I want to leave this life, but I can't. You
don't know how it is."

The Closing Session.
President Powell opened the congress
yesterday by reading a paper on "Purity
Work: Derive it from English Experience,"
by Dr. Elizabeth Blackwell of London.

She declares the divorce laws of England to
be the cause of moral deterioration. Rev. S. S. Howard of New York followed
with a paper on "Purity: How Rescued
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PORTE'S BITTER PILL.

Christians Will Carry Out the Armo-
nian Reform Schemes.

Said Pasha Bows to the Ulti-
matum of the Powers.

Relief For Oppressed People Is Now Almost
an Accomplished Fact.

LONDON, Oct. 17.—Sir Philip Currie,
British ambassador to Turkey, telegraphs
to Lord Salisbury that the scheme relative
to reforming the administration in Ar-
menia, which was submitted to the porte
on May 11 last by Great Britain, France
and Russia, had been accepted by the
Turkish foreign office, and that it only
awaited the sultan's signature preparatory
to being put into effect.

An unofficial but reliable dispatch re-
ceived last evening announces that the
long-pending and menacing question is
now virtually settled.

The indications of the powers expect
that the whole question will be finally
settled in the course of the week by the
promulgation of an imperial decree. Con-
trary to general expectation, the high
commissioner, who will be charged with
the execution of this scheme of reform,
will be a Christian. This was the hardest
pill for the porte to swallow and for a long
time it threatened to bring about the most
serious complications.

The Ultimate Result.
The scheme is almost identical with the
proposals of last May, which were that the
governors and vice-governors of Van,
Erzerum, Sivas, Bitlis, Khairut and Trebi-
zon be Christian or Mussulman, ac-
cording to the inclination of the popula-
tion; but either the governor or the vice
governor is to be a Christian, and the ap-
pointments are to be confirmed by the
powers.

Local and not state officials are to col-
lect the taxes, and enough money is to be
retained before it is forwarded to Constan-
tinople to pay the expenses of local ad-
ministration. Complete changes will be
made in the judicial system, torture will
be abolished, the prisons will be under
surveillance, the police will be composed
of Christian and Turks equally and the
laws against compulsory conversions to
Islamism will be strictly enforced.

Big Gun Under Arrest.
LONDON, Oct. 17.—One of the managers
of Elkington & Co., silversmiths of this
city and of Calcutta, who claim the dis-
tinction of being silversmiths "by special
appointment to her majesty, the queen;
H. B. H., the Prince of Wales; H. M., the
Emperor of Austria, and H. M., the King
of Bulgaria," has been arrested in con-
nection with the robbery of 31 ingots of silver,
valued at about \$35,000, in transit over the
Midland Railway company. The silver
was stolen in broad daylight, on Sept. 25,
with a horse and the wagon in which the
bullion was being conveyed from the Mid-
land railway station to Messrs. Sharpe &
Wilkins of this city.

Almost Worn Out.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—The Minnesota
will be turned over to the state of Massa-
chusetts at New York tomorrow, and will
be received by Captain Weeks. The deck-
house and fittings of the old boat have
been repaired, and the hull is unseaworthy,
the planking above the copper stern being
rotten. To replace this would cost a large
sum of money, and the state of Massachu-
setts must take her as she is.

Satelli Not Invited.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—Recent reports
of Mr. Satelli's purpose to go to Rome to
attend the pope's jubilee in January next
are untrue. Secretary Root says Mr. Sa-
telli has received no notice from the
Vatican to be present, and he has asked
for no leave of absence, such as would be
necessary.

Opposition Badly Left.
ST. JOHN, N. B., Oct. 17.—The provin-
cial election resulted in great triumph for
Premier Blair. Among the defeated
Opposition men is Hon. W. E. Perley,
who has had a seat in local legislature for
half a century. In a house of 46 members,
the Opposition will have nine men.

Want Cities Back.
LIMA, Oct. 17.—The Budget for next
year has been presented to congress, and
it proposes a loan of 10,000,000 soles for
the ransom of Tacna and Arica, which are in
the territory involved in the conquest by
Chili, and in the treaty between Chili and
Bolivia which was recently made.

Spain's War Loss.
MADRID, Oct. 17.—Since the beginning
of the campaign against the insurgents of
Cuba, the Spanish forces have lost one
brigadier general, 26 superior officers, 100
other officers and 1810 soldiers, who have
either died of disease or have been killed
by the enemy.

A Poor Beginning.
GLASGOW, Oct. 17.—While a new oil
motor street car, crowded with city of-
ficials, was making its trial run here yester-
day, the oil tank caught fire, and the car
was burned in the middle of the street.
All the passengers escaped.

France's Invitation.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—The state de-
partment has received from Ambassador
Patout the invitation of the French repub-
lic to take part in the French exposit-
ion of 1900, which is to usher in the 20th
century.

Shot Wife and Killed Himself.
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 17.—Early this
morning, John W. Boyd, aged 38, a clerk
in the United States treasury office, shot
and fatally wounded his wife, Annie, and
then committed suicide.

Little Benjie Is Sick.
MCKEESPORT, Oct. 17.—Master Benjamin
McKee has a mild attack of scarlet fever.
Mrs. McKee and ex-President Harrison
are quarantined in one portion of the
family cottage.

All Well.
BERGEN, Oct. 17.—Steam yacht Wind-
ward, which conveyed the Jackson-Joseph
land, has arrived here with all well on board.

Out of Work.
ST. JOHN, N. F., Oct. 17.—Seven hun-
dred men returned from the railway line
yesterday, owing to the stoppage of work
for the winter.

Home Again.
NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Steamer Amster-
dam, with Mrs. Waller on board, arrived
at quarantine late last night.

Whites and Blacks.
COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 17.—The South
Carolina constitutional convention reas-
sembled yesterday. The negro participa-
tion question came up. The provision
under consideration declares that it shall
be unlawful for any white person to marry
with any person having negro blood in his
or her veins, and providing for the punish-
ment of cohabitation. An amendment
was introduced excepting from the provi-
sions of the law those people in the state
who, although they have a slight inter-
mixture of negro blood, have the status of
white people. There is much difference of
opinion as to what is best to be done about
this class.

Getting Scared.
ST. JOHN, N. F., Oct. 17.—The smug-
gling offenders are terrified at the ex-
posure of their whole plan. Michael Par-
roll, the so-called secretary of the smug-
gling syndicate, has fled to escape arrest,
a warrant having been issued for him.

AN IMPORTANT POINT

Under Maine's Prohibitory Law Sus-
tained by Portland Judge.

Seized Liquors Ordered to Be
Restored to Owners.

Numerous Suits For Damages Are Now Among
the Possibilities.

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 17.—An entirely
new and an important point under the
prohibitory law was raised in the mu-
nicipal court yesterday. It paved the way
for numerous suits for damages and tres-
pass against officers who have seized
liquors in the past.

On Sept. 28 Deputy Marshals Sterling
and Harvett made a wholesale seizure of
beer and whisky at the establishment of the
Rice Bottling company. Four days
later the officers filed their libel.

On Sept. 30 Deputy Sheriff Plummer
and Fifth made a seizure of \$200 worth of
liquors from the steamer Salacia. The
libel was filed four days later.

Both libels were returnable in the mu-
nicipal court yesterday.

Attorney Meagher appeared in court with
a motion that the libel in each case be
quashed on the ground that it had not
been filed in strict compliance with the re-
vised statutes. The point he raised was
that the revised statutes specifies that the
officer who makes a seizure of liquors shall
immediately file the libel.

Immediately file the libel, with his return endorsed thereon, with the
magistrate by whom the precept was
issued.

Attorney Meagher claimed that the word
"immediately" in the statute could not be
construed as meaning four days, and that
in failing to make their return within a
reasonable time the officers had rendered the
libel void.

Judge Robinson said the attorney for
the claimants must file with the court, in
accordance with the provisions of the
statute, a statement that the claimants
have a right to the liquors seized, and the
claimants must make a declaration under
oath that the liquors so kept or deposited
were not for unlawful sale.

In the afternoon Judge Robinson
quashed both libels. In consequence, the
large expense and cases of whisky and
beer included in the two seizures were
taken out of the liquor storehouse in the
city building, loaded on drays and carted
back to the places from whence they came.
The work of reloading was watched with
amazement by a crowd.

The liquor was shipped to Boston on last
night's boat. It was watched carefully by
officers until it was seen safely on the
boat and started on its way to Boston.

Parade and Playout.
BOSTON, Oct. 17.—Many hundred mem-
bers of the New England Veteran Firemen's
union paraded here yesterday with their
machines. The parade passed through the
principal streets of the city and past city
hall, where they were reviewed by the
mayor.

Shortly after noon, playing for
the prizes of \$100 and \$50, the Boston
grounds. The Union of Peabody won
first prize, throwing a stream 21ft. 13in.;
the Fountain of Milford, N. H., was sec-
ond, with 20ft. 7in.; Central Falls, R. I.,
third, 19ft. 4in., and Newton Veterans,
fourth, 18ft. 6in. In the second class
Marblehead won first prize, 16ft. 7in.,
with Union of East Braintree second,
17ft. 13in.

Tried to Kill Whole Crowd.
BOSTON, Oct. 17.—Gennaro Barrotto, an
Italian, was held under \$3000 bonds yester-
day on the charge of attempted murder.
A gang of laborers on Commonwealth
avenue extension had struck work on the
discharge of their foreman by the con-
tractor. New men were hired and work
was renewed in a short time. The
strikers hung around the work, and in the
afternoon, when the new gang were pre-
paring a blast, Barrotto crept up to one of
the heavy blasts and touched it off. A
foreman saw the danger, and called the
men away before the blast exploded.

What Insurgents Need.
BOSTON, Oct. 17.—President Fuentes of
the Boston Cuban club says: "We have
plenty of soldiers in Cuba. The only thing
we need is munition of war. If 50,000
rifles with ammunition should be sent to
Cuba at once, there would be a man ready
to take up each rifle. This is all we ask
for. This is why we know that if the
United States should recognize the belliger-
ence of Cuba the war would not last
six months, for then we should be able to
provide sufficient ammunition."

Two Thousand in Parade.
NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Oct. 17.—Two
thousand members of the United Order of
American Mechanics participated in the
annual state parade in this city yesterday.
The American flag was everywhere in evi-
dence. The following officers were elected:
State councillor, L. D. Leonard, Littlefield;
vice councillor, F. B. Gregory, Norwalk;
secretary, C. H. Adams, South Norwalk;
treasurer, F. T. Atwood, Wethersfield.

Freights Bumped Together.
HOLYOKE, Mass., Oct. 17.—A freight
train was wrecked at Mount Tom station
last evening. Seven cars were derailed
and some of them were smashed. A
freight train had been side-tracked to al-
low a passenger train to pass, and was
just pulling out from the side track when
another freight came along and struck it
about middle way. Fortunately no one
was injured badly.

A Successful Gathering.
WINTHROP, Me., Oct. 17.—The 37th an-
nual convention of the Maine State Sun-
day School association closed yesterday.
The convention has been largely attended,
and is pronounced the most successful
meeting ever held by the delegates. The
following officers were elected: President,
B. C. Jordan, Portland; secretary, B. B.
Snow, Yarmouth; treasurer, E. S. Everett,
Portland.

A Warning-Up Spin.
GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 17.—The war-
ship Indiana returned from her pullman-
trip at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon,
having covered the course of 62 miles in
about 4 hours and 25 minutes, and made
an average speed of over 14 knots. She
proceeded directly to Boston, where her
tubes will be cleaned preparatory to the
official trial tomorrow.

Vingira's Maiden Trip.
BOSTON, Oct. 17.—The largest cargo of
Mexican hemp or sisal grass ever brought
to this port arrived here last night in the
British steamship Vingira from Progresso,
Mar. The Vingira is a new steamer, 11,000
tons, and was completed on the Clyde only last
month. She sailed from Glasgow direct
for Progresso, where she loaded her present
cargo.

Machine Broke Down.
SARASOTA, Fla., Oct. 17.—The attempt of
Wilfred Scott to break state bicycle
records yesterday resulted in a catastrophe
to the pacing quad. At the first turn the
front wheel of the quad and the fork
caught the track, causing the machine and
its riders to turn a complete somersault.
Senior escaped unhurt.

Unitarians in Session.
PROVIDENCE, Oct. 17.—The annual con-
vention of National Unitarian Sunday
school societies opened here last night
with about 25